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DAVID W. HIGGINS, Proprietor.

COLONIST BUILDING—Government Street, 1st Door North of the New Post Office Building.

TERMS—INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST—Per Year, (subject to Postage)........................... $10.
Parts of a Year at the same Rate.
Per Week (if delivered)........... 25 Cents.

THE WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST—Per Year (Postage paid to any part of the Province)..... $5.
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ANGEL HOTEL,

LANGLEY STREET,

LATE BAILEY'S — LATE EBERHARDT'S.

CHARLES MORTON, PROPRETOR.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above, will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of his patrons, and he hope- ?y so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal shar. f patronage accorded his predecessor.

The Scale of Charges:

Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00
do do per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
☞A Fireproof Safe in the House. au28 dwtf

Colonial Hotel and Restaurant,

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA B.C.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Restaurant, will spare no effort to keep the establishment in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.

None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

mh7 LUCAS & RIDON Proprietors.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL

Government St., Victoria,

TREHART & HEMENOVER - - - PROPRIETORS.

HAS SUPERIOR ACCOMMODATION FOR Travelers and Suites of Rooms for Families and Single gentlemen.

THE BAR

is supplied with the very best Wines, Liquors & Cigars. ja17

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,

STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD

Victoria, B.C.

Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor.

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1 Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.

TERMS—Cash in advance.

☞Fire-proof Safe in the House. se18 3m

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL

—AND—

RESTAURANT,

Government St., Victoria.

TABLE AND ROOMS FIRST-CLASS

☞Rate of Charges, Meals 50 Cents.

ap7 JOHN J. JACOBS, Proprietor.

LIPMAN'S Great Discovery,

Never Failing and Perfectly Harmless.

PROBABLY OBJECT HAS CALLED forth more pr parations than those for RESTORING AND BEAUTIFYING THE HUMAN HAIR and among all J. LIPMAN'S WONDERFUL RESTORER stands beyond question at the head for efficiency and perfect safety—this is absolutely free from Sugar Lead or Lac Sulphur and never fails to produce the effect desired—requires no other preparation—is easily applied, and is without doubt the SIMPLEST, best and cheapest Hair Restorative in use. Sold by all druggists. General Agents, CHAS LANGLEY & Co., Wholesale Druggists, San Francisco. no25 3mis

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General Contractor and Dust Mover.

CESSPOOLS CLEANSED AT THE SHORTest notice. Regular days for moving dust—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Is prepared to do all kinds of job work in his line at reasonable rates.

Orders left at Isaac Johnson's in Trounce Alley will be promptly attended to.

Residence, Discovery street, next door to Victoria Brewery. ap12

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W. K. LEAR & CO.,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS

FORT WRANGEL, - - - ALASKA.

Have a Large Safe and Commodious Warehouse.

WILL PAY STRICT ATTENTION TO BUSINESS.

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DR. YING,

From the College of Medicine, Canton.

LATELY ARRIVED.

CURES CONSUMPTION BLEEDING OF THE Lungs, Paralysis, and other diseases.

Johnson street, next door to On Hing's. fe1 3m

EDWARD MOHUN

CIVIL ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,

Government Street,

[illegible] Between Fort and Broughton.

Insurance.

The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

GOVERNOR:

HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

DEPUTY GOVERNORS:

THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES.

3 and 5 George Street, Edinburgh.
82 King William Street, } London.
3 Pall Mall, East, }
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.

MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E.
COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Clunie Gregor.

Total Amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 2.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.

AGENTS IN VICTORIA.

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

je15 Wharf Street.

Standard Life Assurance COMPANY,

Head Office, 3 and 5 George st., Edinburgh

LONDON } 82 King William Street, and 3 Pall Mall East (West End Office.)

Eighth Division of Profits.

THE REPORT of the investigation of the Company's affairs and Division of Profits as at 15th November, 1870, can be had on application at any of the Company's Branch Offices or Agencies.

THE COMPANY has divided Profits on Eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.

THE SURPLUS FUND divided among the policyholders in 1870 amounted to the large sum of £331,591 13s

ANNUAL INCOME upwards of £700 000.

INVESTED FUNDS upwards of £4,000,000.

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

jy15 Agents, Victoria.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE Insurance Company.

Established, 1809.

CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING.
Accumulated Funds, ... £3,286,126.

LOSSES SETTLED WITH

Promptitude and Liberality.

T. ALLSOP & Co., Agents,

oc6 Government street.

CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION! OF CANADA.

Head Office, Masonic Hall, Toronto.

CAPITAL......$500,000.

Stock and Mutual Plans Combined.

Deposited with Dominion Government for Security of Policyholders, $50,000.

PRESIDENT—Sir Francis Hincks, K. C. M. G. Finance Minister of Canada.
VICE PRESIDENTS—Hon. Wm P. Howland, C. B., Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario,
Hon. Wm. McMaster, President Canadian Bank of Commerce;

Issued—Over 500 Policies first half-year.

This Association issues all the most approved forms of Policies—all non-forfeiting by charter. Its principle of non-forfeiture more favorable to assured than that of any other company.

A strong company which combines strength of capital, character and local influence and provides life insurance at the lowest safe rates without delusive promises of dividends, making a good dividend CERTAIN by decreasing the premium.

By its organization it enables each policyholder to deal with his own neighbors, stockholders in the company—men whom he knows will do justice to his family after he is dead, and also provides that its funds will be invested to develop the resources of his own country and locality.

A company with capital and breadth enough to be safe beyond question, with national extent and prestige, and yet a HOME company throughout the Dominion.

WILLIAM McCABE, General Manager, Toronto.

☞The fullest information will be cheerfully furnished on application to

JOHN ROBSON, Government st., Victoria, General Agent for British Columbia and Washington Territory, oc22

Phœnix Fire Assurance COMPANY,

LOMBARD STREET AND CHARING CROSS, LONDON.

Established, 1782.

For Insuring every kind of Property in all Parts of the World from Loss or Damage by Fire.

THE PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY with which its engagements are always met by this Company are well known, and the importance of its relations with the Public may be estimated from the fact that since its establishment it has paid more than Nine Millions Sterling in discharge of claims for Losses by Fire.

The security offered to the Public by the Phœnix Office is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large invested capital of the Company the whole fortunes of numerous proprietors composed of some of the most opulent merchants and others in the United Kingdom. Annual and short time Insurances are effected upon all kinds of property in Vancouver Island and British Columbia on the most favorable terms.

Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London.

Rates and Particulars of Insurance may be had on application to THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent,

ap1 Government street opp. Masonic Hall

THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y Of San Francisco.

MARINE.

Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.

For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Profits, &c. For Information, Rates of Premium, &c., &c., apply to

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & Co.

ap15 3m Agents.

Imperial Fire Insurance COMPANY.

1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,

LONDON,

Instituted, 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.

Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.

WELCH, RITHET & Co., Agents for British Columbia And Washington Territory.

New Advertisements.

THOS. HODGES, Baker and Grocer,

Corner of Douglas and Pandora streets.

BREAD AND GROCERIES DELIVERED by my Cart to any part of the City Free of Charge no8

J. FINLAYSON, FAMILY GROCER Tea and Coffee Dealer,

Fort street.

BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of city. je10

ANGOSTURA BITTERS DR. SIGERT'S.

FOR SALE BY

TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,

WHARF STREET.

Sole Agents for British Columbia.

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JOHN J. RUSSELL,

WILL OPEN HIS NEW STABLES COR ner Broad street and Trounce alley in a few days An elegant

Landau CARRIAGE

Just imported from London, on hire.
Orders left at H. MANSELL'S Boot and Shoe Store, Government st., will meet with prompt attention.
no8 3m

SWEDE SEED.

100 LBS. OF SKIRVING'S PURPLE TOP, at 50 cents per pound at H. HENLY'S, Clover Point.
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CITY GAS LIGHTS. NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Lamplighter is the only person authorized to light the Street Gaslights; and that any person detected lighting any of the public street gaslamps will be proceeded against on a charge of stealing gas.

By order of the Directors of the Victoria Gas Company (Limited.)

C. W. R. THOMSON, Sect'y.

April 27, 1874. ap28 1m

FREDERICK REYNOLDS FAMILY BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.

☞Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.

mh10 LONDON MARKET

WING HIE & CO.

Canton Restaurant,

Johnson street, adjoining Aux Mousquetaires.

WILL OPEN ON FRIDAY.

THE VERY BEST EDIBLES TO BE HAD IN the market are served up at this house by experienced cooks at the LOWEST RATES

Cleanliness and Comfort is our motto.
Meals served at all hours ap8 3m
☞Labor of all kinds supplied.

ROAD TAX.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Road Tax for the current year is over due and payable at the office of the undersigned.

All persons liable to pay the said tax in the following Districts are required to do so forthwith, or proceedings will be taken to recover the same:—

Victoria,	North and South Saanich,
Highland,	Lake,
Sooke,	Metchosin,
Esquimalt,	Esquimalt Town.

RICHARD WOODS, Collector.
Sheriff's Office, Bastion Street, Victoria, May 12th, 1874. my13

BAGNALL'S PIANO AND MUSIC STORE

HAS BEEN ENLARGED AND STOCKED with a fine selection of

English & French Pianos,

PARIS HARMONIUMS,

MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,

A Large Assortment of

Violins & Cases, Bows, Best Roman Strings, Music Stools, Canterburies, Whatnots, Music Stands, Book and Sheet Music, New Music Every Month.

Pianos for Hire or Purchase on Easy Terms. All Instruments Warranted.

J. BAGNALL, Tuner and Repairer of Musical Instruments, 25 years experience. mh8

HAYWARD & JENKINSON, Undertakers,

LANGLEY STREET, VICTORIA.

Ex PRINCE ALFRED

HAVE RECEIVED A STRAIGHT INVOICE of

English and American

COFFIN FURNITURE

AND

Trimmings.

Of New and Improved Design, all of which are offered for sale at Reduced Prices.

Miscellaneous.

NEW GOODS PER EXPRESS!

JANION, RHODES & CO.

Have received per steamer "PRINCE ALFRED" a

LARGE LOT OF NEW GOODS

CONSISTING IN PART OF:

NEW STYLE PRINTS,	GREY DRILLINGS, assorted qualities,
WHITE LONG CLOTHS and Shirtings	GREY & BROWN TURKISH TOWELS
WHITE LACE CMRTAINS,	HEAVY FLANNEL Underclothing,
WHITE LINENS,	PRINTED WOOL TABLECOVERS,
WHITE CAMBRIC HANDK'FS,	DAMASK COTTON do.
PRINTED COTTON do.	FLOUR SACKS, &c., &c.

VICTORIA, April 28th, 1864. ap29 1m

ACCOUNT, showing the whole Amount of the DEBTS and ASSETS of the BANK of BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, at the Close of the Year 1873, and showing also the Amount of its NOTES payable on Demand, which had been in Circulation during every Month of that Year; together with the Amount of SPECIE and other ASSETS, distinguishing each Kind, immediately available in every such Month, for the Discharge of such Notes.

(Published pursuant to Royal Charter of Incorporation.)

DEBTS.	Sterling. £ s. d.	ASSETS.	Sterling. £. s. d.
Circulation	424,677 3 4	Specie	540,916 18 6
Other Liabilities	3,274,748 12 6	Other Assets	4,448,831 15 7
	£3,699,425 15 10		£4,989,748 14 1

1873.	Notes in Circulation. Dollars.	Specie. Dollars.	Notes of other Banks. Dollars.
January	2,462,361 —	2,512,184 03	329,091 50
February	2,356,656 —	2,372,732 68	290,887 —
March	2,296,171 —	1,893,663 64	285,744 —
April	2,200,622 —	1,910,855 04	261,119 —
May	2,144,223 —	1,999,325 03	278,078 —
June	2,154,143 —	2,090,586 78	346,362 —
July	2,280,061 —	2,714,598 36	267,193 —
August	2,306,693 —	2,754,663 14	280,651 —
September	2,428,029 —	2,916,349 34	245,451 —
October	2,507,569 —	2,858,648 41	273,854 39
November	2,444,866 —	2,860,084 05	324,705 70
December	2,242,086 —	2,940,808 95	251,791 77

By order of the Court of Directors.

Bank of British North America, London, March 24, 1874. [my12] R. W. BRADFORD, Secretary.

DeWIEDERHOLD & Co. COAL & WOOD MERCHANTS,

Coal Yard on Messrs. Janion, Rhodes & Co's wharf Store street.

ORDERS LEFT AT MESSRS. T. ALLSOP & Co's Office, Government street cor. of Bastion; and W. J. JEFFREE'S corner of Government and Yates st or at the office on the Wharf, Store street, will promptly executed. no8

ENCOURAGE HOME PRODUCTION!

SUMAS MILLS FLOUR.

Chadsey Bros.

OFFER FOR SALE

1,000 BARRELS OF FLOUR,

Of Extra Quality,

Manufactured from Sumas Wheat.

—ALSO—

100 HEAD OF PRIME BEEF CATTLE!

ADDRESS:

Chadsey Bros., Sumas.

ap13 3mdw

STILL IN THE FIELD.

VICTORIA CARRIAGE, WAGON, HORSE-SHOEING —AND— General Jobbing Establishment.

THE UNDERSIGNED IN RETURNING thanks to his numerous friends for their kind patronage and support during the last fourteen years, begs leave to announce that he is still in the field, and that on Monday next, the 8th December, the doors of the old shop, corner of Government and Pandora streets, will be thrown open to the general public.

The business in future will be under the sole control and management of the undersigned, who will spare no pains to make negotiations agreeable and easy.

Although my past experience in the business and long intercourse with the public, together with my well established reputation as a manufacturer, render further assurance unnecessary, I still feel bound to say that all work entrusted to my charge will be executed in a workmanlike and satisfactory manner.

☞Orders from abroad solicited.

de4 6mdw SIMEON DUCK

A. Casamayou & Co.,

YATES ST., VICTORIA.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLEsale Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS And French Groceries.

ONE Box of CLARKE'S B 41 PILLS

IS warranted to cure all discharges from the Urinary Organs, in either sex, acquired or constitutional, Gravel and Pains in the Back. Sold in Boxes 4s 6d each, by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors.

Sole Proprietor, F. J. CLARKE, APOTHECARIES' HALL, LINCOLN, ENGLAND.

EXPORT AGENTS.

Burgoyne, Burbidges and Co., Coleman St., London.
Newbery and Sons, 37 Newgate Street, London.
Barclay and Sons, Farringdon Street, London.
Sanger and Sons, Oxford Street, London.
And all the Wholesale Houses.

AGENTS IN CANADA.

MONTREAL—Evans, Mercer & Co., Wholesale Druggists
" Lymans, Clare and Co.
TORONTO—Elliott and Co., Wholesale Druggists.
" Shapter and Co.
[illegible]on—Winer and Co
[illegible]—Avery, Brown and Co. se18dw

TO ARRIVE, PER NEXT STEAMER.

10,000 GALLONS Of Superior

COAL OIL,

Equal to the

BEST U.S. BRANDS

NOTED FOR ITS

BRILLIANCY IN BURNING

Its Freedom

FROM DISAGREEABLE ODOUR,

AND KNOWN AS THE

"WASHINGTON STANDARD,"

From the Refinery of

W. SPENCER & SON,

LONDON, ONTARIO.

LANGLEY & CO., AGENTS.

Will be sold at LOW RATES in Lots to Suit.

Notices.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

NOTICE.

MR. FRANK RICHARDS AND MR. W. J. JEFFREE hold my Power of Attorney during my absence from the Province.

WM. NICHOLL.

Victoria, April 11, 1874. ap12 1w

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE PROvince Mr. James Gibson holds my Power of Attorney and will carry on the Brewery as usual.

A. BUNSTER.

Victoria, March 8, 1874. mh11

Notice.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE MR. EDgar Crowe Baker has power to act for me during my absence from Victoria.

J. A. RAYMUR.

Victoria, April 13th, 1874. ap14

Building Notice.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED "TENders for Drill Shed," will be received at the Deputy Adjutant General's office, Yates street, until 4 p.m. of the 30th May. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the office of the Resident Engineer, Masonic Building.

Tenders must be accompanied by two approved bonds to the amount of $500 each for the commencement and faithful completion of the work by the time provided in the specification, viz: within three months from the date on which the contractor is informed that his Tender has been accepted at Ottawa.

C. F. HOUGHTON, Lieut.-Col.
ap29 D.A.G. Military Dist. No. 11.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned, under the style of SMITH & WALTER, of the Bavaria Brewery, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

JOHN SMITH.
Victoria, April 24, 1874. H. WALTER.

THE ABOVE BUSINESS WILL BE CARRIED ON by H. Walter and John Wagner under the style of Walter & Co.

N. B.—The new firm will pay all liabilities and collect all outstanding debts of the old firm.

H. WALTER,
ap25 1m JOHN WAGNER.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between H. T. Mann and Wm. R. Gibbon, under the name of H. T. Mann & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. H. T. Mann, himself, will collect all accounts and pay all liabilities of the late firm to date.

WM. REID GIBBON,
HENRY THOS. MANN.

WITNESS—J. P. Davies.

MR. HENRY SOAR HAS THIS DAY BEEN admitted a partner, and the business in future will be carried on as usual, in the same premises, under the name of H. T. MANN & CO.

Victoria, April 11th, 1874. ap12dw

NOTICE.

THE TRANSMISSION OF GOLD DUST AND Bullion through Her Majesty's Mails in the Province of British Columbia will be suspended from the 1st April next.

ROLT. WALLACE, Postoffice Inspector.

Victoria, March 17th, 1874. mh19

MUNICIPAL.

EXCERPT FROM "THE WHARVES REGulation By-Law, 1874."

Sec. 1—Every Owner, Occupier, Manager or Person having or exercising control of any wharf within the City, shall at all times keep such Wharf and the approaches thereto in good and sufficient repair, order and management, and shall keep the same well and sufficiently lighted," &c., &c.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the penalty against the infraction of any of the provisions of the said Bylaw will be rigidly enforced.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

WM. LEIGH, Clerk Municipal Council.

City Clerk's Office, 30th April, 1874. my2 1m

Private Bills.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 12th March, 1874.

NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR a Private Bill, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, must be published in the British Columbia GAZETTE and in a newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the nearest District in which a newspaper is published. Such notice must be continued for six weeks prior to the consideration of the petition for the Bill. The Rules relative to notices of Private Bills are published in full in the British Columbia GAZETTE.

J. ROLAND HETT,
mh17 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Copartnership Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY entered into a partnership under the name and style of WEILL & FOSTER to transact a General Merchandise Business in the Cassiar Country.

(Signed) I. WEILL.
N. F. FOSTER.

Victoria, April 30, 1874. my1dw

Provincial Agricultural Society.

AT A MEETING OF THE ABOVE SOCIETY held on the 21st ult., a Committee was appointed to prepare a Prize List for 1874, and submit the same at a general meeting to be held on the 23d May next. Suggestions from any one connected with the Society will be thankfully received by the undersigned.

THOS. RUSSELL, Secty.

Victoria, April 6th, 1874. ap7dw

Notice to Mariners.

A BELL BUOY BEACON PAINTED RED having a square cone 12 feet high built on float, has been moored in 9 fathoms of water off S. W. Point of Brotchie Ledge, off Victoria Harbor.

The Bell will toll at all times and may be heard from three quarters of a mile to one mile distant.

Persons are hereby cautioned from boarding said Beacon, or in any way interfering with the same, under penalty of five hundred dollars, which will be rigidly enforced upon information.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.

Department of Marine & Fisheries, Victoria, B.C., May 11, 1874. my12 2m

Supreme Court—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of William Henry Robertson and Alexander Solkirk Robertson, Bankrupts.

THE COURT HAS APPOINTED THURSday, the 28th day of May inst., at 12 o'clock, for the bankrupts to make application for their discharge. By order. EDWIN JOHNSON, Bankrupts' Solicitor.

Langley street, Victoria, May 13, 1874. my14

Notice.

MRS. ISABELLA WILLIAMSON GIVES notice that she carries on the business of Dressmaking in her own name and on her own account, and will settle all her own bills.

Victoria, April 19, 1874. ap19 1m

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN STAFFORD HOLDS MY POWER of Attorney to transact business for me during my temporary absence from the Province.

GEORGE HICKIN.

Victoria, May 9, 1874. my10 1w

Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 2ND, 1874.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exhange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

The Public Press.

To enlighten and educate constitutes the supreme function of the public press. Whenever it ceases to do that its utility as a public institution becomes questionable. The local organ, hired out, as it would appear, to defend everything and anything done and left undone by its paymasters (the Provincial Ministers), has long ceased to be an enlightener. Its business would seem to be rather to darken and mislead. For instance, in a paragraph on the League, the other day, it represented certain gentlemen whom it named as addressing the meeting "in favor of the relaxation scheme" and as having been outvoted by "fifteen to six." Pluming itself on being "in accord" with the majority of the League (whom it had been in the habit of ridiculing), it undertook to counsel delay in the petition movement until the return from Ottawa of the British Columbia representatives. Now, we do not know what means the organ had of ascertaining what transpired at the meetings of the League; but we can inform it that, upon the occasion referred to, the "six" gentlemen named simply and solely advocated delay until the return of our members, the "fifteen" urging the promulgation of of the petition to the Queen without waiting for anybody or thing. It will be perceived, therefore, that it was with the minority, not the majority, the organ was "in accord" this time—it was found on Thursday recommending precisely what the "six" had advocated in opposition to the "fifteen," two days before! Then, again, turning to yesterday's issue, it shed a whole column of ink for the obvious purpose of darkening and mistifying the diplomatic mess made by its masters. It represents Mr. Edgar as having come to British Columbia as a private gentleman for a mere friendly chat, and it seeks to justify Ministers in refusing to negotiate with him. But Mr. Mackenzie said in his letter to Mr. Walkem that Mr. Edgar was sent out for the express purpose of conferring with the Provincial Government and RECEIVING their views on the railway policy of the Dominion Government. Now, was it possible to "receive" their views without first laying before them the railway policy? This he proceeded in due course to do, stating explicitly at the time that he did so officially, under the instructions of the Canadian Premier. But, instead of receiving their views, he received a rude and gratuitous insult—an insult alike to principal and agent. The defence attempted to be set up for Mr. Walkem is at best very weak. It is contended that he was quite right to be careful about committing the Government, until he knew that the Dominion Government would be held. Now, it is simply absurd to pretend that negotiations had reached that point at which either party could possibly think of being bound. It was for the two Governments to negotiate the basis of new Terms. Only the first preliminary step had been taken. Had that step been properly followed up by the Provincial Government contending for better Terms,—say two millions and a half as the minimum expenditure, and the work of railway construction to be begun on the Mainland (at two or more points beyond the Cascades) next year, the line between Esquimalt and Nanaimo to be commenced this year at both ends and the middle and completed in two years—there is good reason for believing better Terms would have been conceded, and that the negotiations would in due time have reached that stage at which the mind would naturally turn to the subject of bonds, securities and the like. But even then, let it be noted, it would be Parliaments and Peoples, not Ministers or Agents, that would make things binding. Does Mr. Walkem really imagine that he would have had the right, even if he possessed the power, to bind British Columbia? It had been distinctly and unanimously declared by Parliament that no proposal for any change in the railway obligation should be made binding save by the people themselves. Where then was the danger? Where the commendable caution? There was danger; but it was to the Ministers themselves, not the country. Knowing right well that to go on with negotiations and bring them to a head involved dissolution and a general election, and conscious of what that process imported to them and their "Silent Brigade," they trumped up the paltry quibble about credentials. Talking about credentials, the organ should be the last to raise the point, for we find in its editorial columns the following passage:—

"The mover in the City Council took the precaution for his own guidance to ascertain that Mr. Edgar is the accredited agent of the Dominion Government in this Province, 'an assertion we have constantly made and one which the information given Mr. Dewdney by Mr. Mackenzie confirms."

But when the organ made that statement, which is undoubtedly true, it did not forsee the terrible strait to which its masters were to be brought for an excuse for averting a general election.

New Advertisements.

Umbrella Lost.

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON, IN GOING from James Bay Bridge to Francis' Stables, a LADY'S GREEN SILK UMBRELLA. Any person leaving the same at this office will receive the thanks of the owner. je3

TOURIST TICKETS.

TO THE CANYONS OF THE FRASER.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING MADE ARrangements with th owners of the steamers "Enterprise" and "Onward" are enabled to offer TOURIST'S TICKETS to parties wishing to visit the great "CANYON" of the Fraser.

The Programme will be to leave Victoria on Tuesday of each week, reach Yale on Thursdays, proceed by Coach to Boston Bar and Jackass Mountain and return to Yale on Saturdays. Canoes will be provided for an evening sale to Hope, where Tourists may remain over Sunday, taking the "Onward" on Monday for New Westminster. Tuesday may be occupied in visiting Burrard Inlet, and Wednesday in the return to Victoria.

It is proposed to sell tickets to parties of 8, thus enabling intending Tourists to select their own compagnons de voyage.

We have placed on the road new and beautiful Coaches with extension top, unsurpassed for comfort and expressly adapted for the work.

The price of tickets for the round trip $35. For further particulars apply at the office, Yates st., Victoria.

je2 F. J. BARNARD & CO.

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S STEAMER

OTTER,

CAPTAIN.....H. G. LEWIS

Will leave for Woodcock's Landing and Way Ports **on Thursday morning next, June 4th.**

For Particulars as to Freight and Passage, apply on board. my31

WANTED.

WANTED AN ACTIVE BOY FOR THE DRY Goods business. Apply to

my30 A. B. GRAY, Government St.

MUNICIPAL—TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE City Council Chambers until 7 o'lock p. m. on Wednesday, June 3d 1874, for building a Stone and Brick Culvert near the Bridge Tavern.

Tenders must be endorsed "Tenders for Culvert," and addressed to the Mayor and Council of the City of Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WILLIAM LEIGH, C. M. C.

May 29th, 1874. my30

MAIL CONTRACT.

TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, endorsed "Tender for Mail Service," will be received at Victoria until noon on Tuesday, 2d June, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, during the months of June, July, August, September, October and November, 1874, once per month each way, between Fort Wrangel, U. S., and Dease Lake.

Conveyance to be made by the usual means of communication between Fort Wrangel and Dease Lake.

The mails to leave Fort Wrangel as soon as possible after the arrival there of the steamer "California," on or about the 10th day of each of the above months to proceed to Dease Lake *via* the head of navigation on the Stickeen River, and return to Fort Wrangel as soon as possible, stopping two days at Dease Lake.

The Parcel Post will not be in force over this route.

Further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Postoffice at Victoria, or at the office of the undersigned.

ROBT. WALLACE,
Postoffice Inspector.

Postoffice Inspector's Office,
Victoria, B.C., May 29th. my30

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

SEPARATE TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVed at my office on Kane st., till 4 p.m. on Wednesday, the 10th day of June next, for the erection of a villa residence on Johnson street for J. H. Todd, Esq.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.

Victoria, V.I., 26th May, 1874. my26

Situation Wanted.

A LADY FROM LONDON, ENGLAND, experienced in teaching the Piano, French and English, wishes a situation as Governess in a Private Family. Has the highest recommendations.

Please call on, or address Miss M, at Mrs. Abraham's, Fort street. my26 iw

YOUNG LADIES BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,

FAIRFIELD TERRACE TOP OF FORT ST.,
VICTORIA, V.I.

IN CONNECTION WITH THIS INSTITUtion are private FRENCH CLASSES every afternoon except Saturday, from 3¼ to 5 o'clock. TERMS MODERATE.

MADAME PETIDEAU,
Principal.

Ja28 3m

G. D. A. GOULTER

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Victoria Public that he has received a consignment of

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES,

And other Goods, direct from England per "Sylhet" (which he offers for sale at Reasonable Prices) consisting in part of English Patent and other Medicines, Lung and Chest Protectors, Elastic Stockings, Kneecaps, &c., Brushes, Combs, Sponges, Feeding Bottles, Puff Boxes, Toilet Pots, Soaps, Perfumery, Parisian Hair Wash, Hair Dye, Hair Restorer, Glycerine Wash for the Hands, Judson's Dyes, Plate Powder, Borwick's Prize Medal Baking Powder, Meerschaum and Briar Pipes, Sealskin, Morocco and other Purses, Pens, Ink, Pencils, an assortment of Cut Glassware, and a variety of other articles.

Some CHRISTMAS CASKETS, Etc., at English Prices

STORE on FORT St., adj. Messrs. A & W Wilson's.

Ja20 3m

B. C. M. B.

THE MILITIA BAND, UNDER THE LEAdership of Bandmaster Haynes, having been solicited, will perform selections of music during the summer months in front of the Government Buildings, James Bay. my16 1m

NOTICE.

WE HAVE BEEN APPOINTED AGENTS in British Columbia for the

STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE CO
OF EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND.

Lately represented by Mr. Robert Burnaby, and beg to solicit applications for Life Assurance, referring to special advertisements.

Particulars can be obtained from

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

Victoria, 14th May, 1874. my17

New Advertisements.

SPRING GOODS! 1874.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE

HAVE JUST LANDED

Ex "Princess Royal" & "Prince Alfred,"

Large additions to their already extensive Stock of

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BLANKETS,
HATS, CAPS, ETC.,

To be supplemented by further Novelties per next & succeeding Steamers

AGENTS FOR

WANZER & CO.'S CELEBRATED SEWING MACHINES.

Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C. my3

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 10:30 A.M; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Yale and Intermediate Offices.	Wednesday at 2.30 P.M.	Monday at 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 2:30 P.M.	Thursday at 5:30 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS.

MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. jal

TO THE AFFLICTED.

Seven Seals, or Golden Wonder.

MR. PIERRE CLAIR,

AGENT FOR THE SALE IN BRITISH Columbia of this sovereign remedy, has removed from Yale and may be found on

Johnson street, Victoria, at the store formerly occupied by Moore & Co., Druggists.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF THE MEDICINE ON HAND.

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CASSIAR EXPRESS,

CONNECTING WITH

WELLS FARGO & CO.

PARTIES LEAVING FOR THE CASSIAR country and wishing to have their Letters forwarded by Express, will find a book in which to Register their Names at the office of the undersigned on Yates street.

The first Express will be dispatched at and early date.

Letters coming to Victoria by Post will be called for regularly and forwarded.

jal1dw F. J. BARNARD & CO.

Dr. CHONG,

JUST ARRIVED FROM CHINA—PHYSIcian, Surgeon and Accoucheur.

Cormorant street, three doors below Kwong Lee's.

Every description of Chinese Medicines for sale.

Medicines just received from China su17

SHORTHORNS.



THE FIRST CLASS THOROUGH bred Shorthorn Bull

"CENTRAL PACIFIC"

Will stand at Cloverdale, Saanich Road, Victoria Dist.

Terms for the season $20 without guarantee; a week's pasturage if desired for each cow without extra charge.

For further particulars apply on the premises, or to **Messrs. Stafford & Goudacre**, Butchers, Government street, Victoria.

Some of "Central Pacific's" Calves can be seen at Cloverdale, and one, a very handsome Heifer Calf, at Capt. George G. Walker's, Yates street, Victoria.

my14dw W. F. TOLMIE.

NOTICE.

Team for Hire.

GEO. FRANCIS begs to notify the public that his Team stands opposite his Stable on Trounce alley ready for hire at any hour of the Day or Night oe1

For Cassiar Mines!

THE STAUNCH AND FAVORITE STEAMship

ISABEL,

D. MORRISON, - - - Commander

Will leave for Fort Wrangel on or about **Monday next, 25th May inst.**

For particulars of Freight and Passage apply to

WELCH, BITHET & CO.,

my20 Wharf street.

NOTICE.

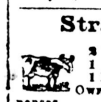
ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO LEON ECKstein will please settle their accounts forthwith; and accounts unpaid 30 days from date will be placed in the hands of a solicitor for collection.

All parties having claims will please present them for settlement.

LEON ECKSTEIN,
South Saanich.

May 22, 1874. my23dw

Strayed on my Run.



3 HEIFERS—White, Spotted Black; 1 White Yearling Heifer; 1 Red and White Yearling Bull.

Owners can have the same by paying expenses.

If not taken away within one week they will be sold to defray expenses.

W. BAINES.

Pemberton's Farm, Victoria, May 9, 1874. my10

$25 Reward.

WILL BE PAID FOR THE DISCOVERY and Conviction of the person who shot a Cow in Mr. Drake's stable-yard on Friday, 22d May.

my24 M. W. T. DRAKE.

To Be Raffled.

A SINGER SEWING MACHINE (Complete) will be raffled at the Retreat Saloon when the list is filled. Due notice will be given.

my16 85 TICKETS $1 EACH.

New Advertisements.

HO! FOR STICKEEN!

Miners' Outfits! Miners' Outfits!

FOR CASSIAR.

HENRY SAUNDERS,

OF JOHNSON STREET,

Is prepared to supply Miners and others with every requisite for a complete Outfit, such as:

Self Raising Flour, Golden Gate Brand,
Oregon, California, Chicago and Heywood's Island Bacon,
New Bayou Beans, Preserved Vegetables,
Mining Tools, Gum Boots, Tobacco, Wines, Spirits, &c.

Which he will sell LOWER than any other House in the City.

All orders packed with dispatch and accuracy, made up into convenient sized packages and delivered on board the steamer Free of Charge for Drayage and Wharfage

HENRY SAUNDERS,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER,
Johnson Street, Victoria.

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IMPORTANT TO MINERS

BOUND TO THE GOLD MINES!

DAVID GREEN,
CLOTHIER,

GOVERNMENT STREET, next to ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

Is now prepared to Make to Order

BALTIC OVERSHIRTS, UNDERSHIRTS, AND DRAWERS.

Give me a call before Purchasing elsewhere.

JUST RECEIVED,

Ex Princess Royal

—AT THE—

LONDON BAZAAR,

AN IMMENSE STOCK OF

NEW GOODS,

Consisting of Fancy and other Baskets, Children's Perambulators, Ladies' Work Tables and Desks, Music Stands, Rodger's Cutlery, Plated Spoons & Forks and other Plated Goods, Tumblers, Wine Glasses, Jugs, Candlesticks, and a general assortment of Table Glassware, Vases and Statuettes, Glass Shades and Fish Globes, Lamps, Trays of all kinds, Brushware, Smallwares, Rimmel's Fancy Soap and Perfumery, a choice assortment of Silver Filagree, Oxydized and Jet Jewellery, Gold and Silver Ink, Paper do., School Slates, etc., Masquerade Dresses, Masks of every description; also, an assortment of Lipscombe's Celebrated Filters.

Window Glass all sizes.

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Every Man His Own Physician!

DR. RADCLIFFE'S GREAT REMEDY.

SEVEN SEALS R GOLDEN WONDER,

FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE.

A Source of Happiness to Millions of Suffering Humanity.

During the past year the wonderful success of this Great Remedy has far exceeded our most sanguine expectations; Thousands have been Cured, and thousands have found out from actual experience that Dr. Radcliffe's Great Remedy, SEVEN SEALS OR GOLDEN WONDER, is the most wonderful Pain Destroyer in existence, the most Expeditious, Safe and Powerful Remedy known in the World. Cures are effected almost instantly, as if by magic. Thousands of Certificates have been received from all parts of our broad land, unsolicited and unasked for, speaking in heartfelt and universal praise of this Great Remedy, from personal knowledge of its almost miraculous powers in curing the most obstinate and protracted cases of Disease.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED, who is appointed Sole Agent for British Columbia, with full power to appoint sub-agents in this Province

PIERRE CLAIR, Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C. [ap24w]

HEYWOOD'S NEW BRAND,

THE "ROYAL STANDARD"

FAMILY SUGAR CUR'D HAMS

—ALSO—

GOLDEN SYRUP CURED BREAKFAST BACON,

Put up for Family Use, and for Quality will challenge competition.

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I HAVE ALSO A QUALITY OF

BACON NOT EQUALLED ON THIS PACIFIC COAST,

Cured Expressly for the New Mines.

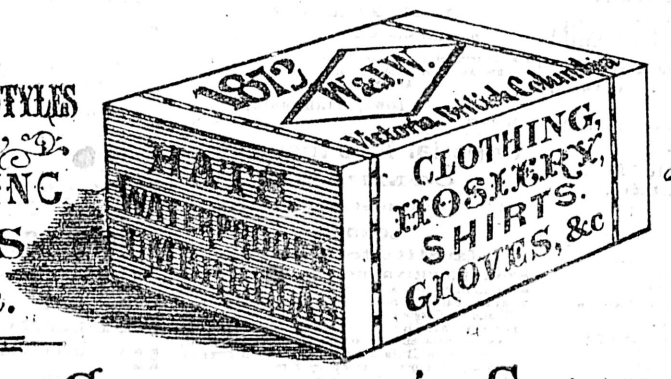
I invite all Miners before purchasing elsewhere to call and see for themselves.

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W. & T. Wilson,

GENERAL OUTFITTERS,

LATEST STYLES in CLOTHING HATS &c.



NEW DESIGNS in OXFORD SHIRTS, Scarfs, Collars &c.

GOVERNMENT STREET

(Opposite the Post Office)

Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 2ND, 1874.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

IMPORTS.

Per bark Delaware, fm Honolulu—3027 kegs sugar, 49 bags rice, 83 bales pulu, 1 bag coffee.

CONSIGNEES.

Per bark Delaware, from Honolulu—Welch-Rithet, Janion-Rhodes, R. Car, A. Rickman.

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 31st ult., the wife of Mr. Chas. Prevost, of a daughter.

In this City, June 1st, the wife of Senator Macdonald, of a son.

To Voters.

Names may be removed from the lists *at any time;* but any person allowing his name to appear on two or more lists at once after to-day, is *liable* to a penalty (which may or may not be enforced) and disfranchisement. We advise readers whose names occur on more than one list to have them removed from all but one.

MIXED.—We clip the following from the Ottawa *Citizen:*

"It is said the Dominion Government has requested Attorney-General Walkem, of British Columbia, to visit Ottawa during the Pacific Railway debates, and that Mr. J. D. Edgar has been recalled and is on his way back. Naturally, of course, the Premier fears the result of the proposed railroad construction delay, and the consequent appeal of the Pacific Province people to Great Britain for redress; but we cannot see that the presence of Attorney-General Walkem will help the First Minister, who must know that Mr. Walkem's Government is at present very unpopular, and will be obliged to submit any relaxation terms to the people at home for approval."

Although perfectly correct as to the status of the Provincial Government, our contemporary has been misinformed on the first point. The truth is Mr. Walkem was most anxious to go to Ottawa in the capacity of negotiator; *but he was not permitted to do so!* This circumstance may help to explain his conduct towards Mr. Mackenzie and his Agent.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.—The Seattle *Intelligencer* calls on the authorities to take steps to prevent the introduction of the small-pox into Washington Territory from Victoria....A salmon weighing 73 lbs. was caught in Columbia River a few days ago....Residents of the Sound who have been to Cassiar express dissatisfaction with the results....Thirty men are engaged in grading the Seattle and Walla Walla railway....A man has been sentenced to five years imprisonment at Walla Walla for seducing a girl of 15 years .....A granger has arrived on the Sound to organize Granges.

STRANGE CONTRAST.—On the railroad grade yesterday two of the oldest men in the Territory—Mr. Gadby, of Tumwater, aged 99, and Father Stewart, of Olympia, aged 81 years—together with Leslie Hewitt, Frank Rice and one or two other boys about five or six years old, were all busily engaged in grading, thus forming a beautiful picture of youth and old age helping the Car of Progress onward—*Olympia Courier.*

TEA AND COFFEE.—The new Tariff rates caused no little discussion in the House of Commons. Mr. Bunster spoke and voted against the tax on tea and coffee, as he considered the Government might have selected less objectionable articles to tax.

DRILL SHED TENDERS.—The following tenders were opened yesterday: Smith & Clark, $4,905; Lorimer, $4,898; Muirhead & Mann, $4,768; Baker & Constantine, $4,450; M. Baker, $4,400; D. Adams, $4,145; Hayward & Jenkinson, $4,026. The last being the lowest was accepted by Lt. Col. Houghton.

POINT ATKINSON LIGHTHOUSE.—Mr. Arthur Finney has completed the foundation of Atkinson Lighthouse (entrance English Bay) and the frame is up. Mr. James Bell, who left the Point on Saturday, states that the work is among the best ever done on the coast.

INDIAN LIQUOR TRADE.—The Bill introduced by Hon. Mr Laird, to which reference was made the other day, is chiefly designed to place greater restrictions upon the Indian liquor trade in British Columbia and Manitoba. Won't this clash with Provincial legislation?

PRINCE ALFRED QUARANTINED. — We learn that a private dispatch was received from San Francisco last evening stating that the steamship Prince Alfred, from Victoria, was quarantined at that port.

COASTING TRADE.—Henceforth all British ships will be admitted to the coasting trade of Germany. In like manner the Canadian coasting trade will be open to German vessels.

INDIAN RESERVES.—Mr. Mohun, C. E., has joined the Indian Department in this Province in the capacity of Engineer, and will proceed shortly to lay out the tribal allotments.

THE steamer North Pacific, with thirty passengers, a Canada and English mail and a quantity of live stock, arrived at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

THE FISHERIES. — H. M. S. Niobe, of Santiago de Cuba fame, has been ordered to watch the interests of the fishermen on on the banks of Newfoundland.

THE steamship John L. Stephens, with one case of small-pox on board, was quarantined on Saturday at Portland and all the passengers vaccinated.

THE young man Perry died on Sunday morning at the Posthouse. The remainder of the family are doing well.

THE propeller California, for Victoria, Fort Wrangel and Sitka, sailed from Portland last evening.

THE steamer North Pacific was boarded by a Health Officer yesterday and a clean bill of health reported.

GAZETTED.—The appointment of W. H. Lowe, Esq., as a Collector in H. M. Customs, appears in the Canada *Gazette.*

THE FASTEST STEAMER IN THE WORLD. They have just built a steel boat in England for service in Orissa (India) Canals —length, 87 feet. The speed contracted for was 20 statute miles per hour. When tried she made, with tide, 25.08 miles per hour; against tide, 24.15 miles per hour. These performances are absolutely wonderful.

TO BE.—The Montreal correspondence of the Ottawa *Times* says: "It is definitely understood that the Hon. Mr. Dorion will become Chief Justice of this Province before the 1st prox., when the next term of the Court of Appeals will open in Quebec." The reader will understand that the *Times* is an organ of the Government and Mr. Dorion Minister of Justice.

DUSTY.—Yesterday was an oldfashioned dusty day. Dust was whirled through every crack and crevice into stores, houses and offices, into people's eyes, mouths and noses. About 4 o'clock Kelly with his sprinkler made his appearance, and the wind at once subsided, and the dust, like an exorcised ghost, was laid.

STEAMBOAT INSPECTION.—The bill to suspend the operation in this Province of the Dominion Act having expired, Capt. Cooper will proceed to-day to inspect the steamers running on the Lower Fraser and in these waters. At the pressure required by law the steamboats now running on the Fraser cannot reach Yale.

APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. T. E. Peck of Nanaimo has been appointed Collector of Customs for that port. Mr. R. Westmoreland, also of Nanaimo, has been appointed lightkeeper at Cape Beale; and Mr. Thomas Woods of Victoria will be his assistant.

CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE.—About 600 Catholic gentlemen—Americans and Canadians—have arrived at Paris on their way to the City of Rome, to there visit His Holiness Pope Pius IX, and also to journey to Paray le Monial and Lourdes, whose shrines are especially attractive to the devout Catholic.

VICTORIA HARBOUR.—Mr. Roscoe has not been idle, as will be seen from the following items which appear in the Supplementary Estimates for 1874 75:—Removal of obstructions in Victoria harbor, B. C., $16,000; dredge and tug steamer, Victoria harbor, B. C., $15,600.

THE bark Delaware, Capt. Hinds, 22 days from Honolulu, with a cargo of Islands produce consigned to Welch, Rithet & Co., arrived yesterday. We are indebted to Capt. Hinds for files of late Honolulu papers.

PROTECTION.—The Committee of the Canadian House of Commons on manufacturing interests report in favor of legislation for protection to the manufactures of the Dominion.

RIDEAU HALL.—We observe the names of Mr. and Mrs. Bunster in the list of those invited to dine at Rideau Hall, the seat of Lord Dufferin, on the 15th inst.

Old Tunes.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Will you allow me space in your valuable paper to have a few words with some one styling himself "Volunteer." Had he put his real name I might perhaps have been able to tell him that he would rather not see Mr. Haynes leading the Militia Band. I do not think the Band will thank him for praising their talent, knowing that it was intended as a "slur." Perhaps "Volunteer" would like Mr H. to compose music for every march-out, to suit his fastidious taste; so he ought to do, on the very liberal allowance made to him, and the Band ought to attend practice three times a week and drill twice—one night a week for themselves being quite sufficient. One word of advice to Mr. "Volunteer." Keep dissension out of the ranks or you might find yourself without a Band, and I am very much mistaken if you are the man to pay anything towards getting one.

OLD SOLDIER.

Sandwich Islands.

Corn has been found to produce largely in Ewa and Walalua.

Judge Lilekalani is dead at the age of 50, of congestion of the lungs. He was about to be appointed Governor of Kauai.

Robt. Thurston, a young man, resident at Honolulu, while bathing, was poisoned by stepping on a small shell-fish which attaches itself to the points of coral when in the sea. He died after a few days of great agony.

A. C. Castle, late Registrar of Public Accounts, died on the 25th April quite suddenly.

Australia.

In the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, on the 3d March, a motion for political severance from Great Britain was discussed with much warmth. This arose from the interference of the Colonial Office in dictating the number of Legislative Councillors the colony should have. The result of the discussion was not known when the mail left.

Fiji Islands.

The seven cannibal murderers of Mr. Burns and family were tried at Levuka, convicted and sentenced to death.

The Prosperity of Canada.

The *Globe* (London,) of last night refers to the published Public Accounts of Canada, and says that they "afford satisfactory evidence of continuous prosperity in the colony." The article refers solely to the Savings Bank statement, and compares the amounts deposited in '67-8 with the amounts in '72-3. "If the savings," says the *Globe,*" of a people represent its intrinsic wealth, the Dominion must be growing rich." The figures are then given, and the writer goes on:—"But an even more satisfactory proof of prosperity is afforded by the fact that during the term of years included deposits exceeded withdrawals by about four million and a quarter dollars." The total debt is then alluded to, and the article concludes by saying that "It will be a good day for England when her industrial classes save half the sum of the national debt, as Canadians are now doing."

A. GILMORE has just received a large assortment of Canadian and English Custom-made Clothing, which he will sell at Reduced Prices; therefore the public are invited to call and select for themselves and make their purchases before going elsewhere. ***

By Electric Telegraph.

EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

BOSTON, May 30—The wool market has again been quite active and there have been large sales.

NEW YORK, May 31—Rochefort absolutely refuses to be entertained by any of the societies here, or to have any reception tendered him.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Indications are that the President will to-morrow send to the Senate the nomination of Bristow, for Secretary of Treasury.

Europe.

BAYONNE, May 31.—Hernani is completely invested by Carlists, who have had some sharp skirmishing with the garrison.

MADRID, May 31.—Caleb Cushing, U. S. Minister, was received to-day by President Sebalta.

PARIS, May 31.—At a meeting of the Left to-day, it was resolved that a motion for a dissolution of the Assembly should be passed, and that overtures should be made to other sections of the Chamber to secure cooperation in the movement.

Prince Napoleon has been nominated for the Assembly in the departments of Charente Inferlen and Seine.

BERLIN, May 31—Bismarck is slowly recovering.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Europe.

NEW YORK, May 22.—A London letter says the absence of the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh from the Queen's drawing-room, recently, revived rumors of a quarrel about precedence. The Duke ranks next to the Prince of Wales, but the point is whether the Duchess ranks next to the Princess of Wales. The Duchess is also disgusted over the common-place character of Clarence House, which is to be her home when repaired.

A letter from Linz, Austria, gives an account of a riot there, caused by an announcement by the brewers of an advance in the price of beer. The brewery was assailed and the furniture, doors, etc., smashed. The mob were dispersed only when the proprietor declared his willingness to sell at the old price.

LONDON, May 22.—A Paris special states that Prince Metternich, not Count de Montebello, was slightly wounded in the duel yesterday.

Dispatches from Paris on the ministerial crisis are confused and contradictory. A 'Times' dispatch says the Cabinet intends to give the Assembly the acceptance of its programme or dissolution.

A Bayonne dispatch states that daily engagements occur between the Carlists and Republicans for the possession of the heights commanding Bilboa. It is claimed the Carlists gained some advantage.

LONDON, May 22.—The names of the American students drowned in Lake Geneva are given as William Woodbury, and John and Henry Crane.

Dominion Mail Summary.

OTTAWA, May 18.—There is a gentleman in Ottawa who claims that he has a scheme for building the Pacific Railway in five years, and largely increasing the population of British Columbia and the North-west without increasing taxation.

Governor Archibald's evidence before the North-west Committee was completed. He deposed that his first instructions to secure a seat for Sir Geo. Cartier in Manitoba, in 1872, came from Sir John A. Macdonald, who at the same time cautioned him not to let it appear that the "late Provisional Governor" had retired in Cartier's favour The witness, adopting the role of an electioneering agent, at once went to work, with what result all the world knows.

The British Columbia members from Vancouver Island, it is said, will support the Government policy in the matter of the Pacific Railroad, on the condition that the line be commenced at Esquimalt.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., May 16—The Lieut.-Governor has dissolved the House of Assembly, and writes for a new election are ordered, returnable on the 30th June. The coming election will turn entirely on the School Act, the supporters and opponents of which are bitterly opposed to each other.

OTTAWA, May 17—By order in Council, published in Saturday's *Gazette*, the ships and vessels of Germany are admitted to the coasting trade of the Dominion on the same terms as are applicable to Canadian vessels, in consequence of British ships being allowed to participate in the coasting trade of Germany on the same footing as the vessels of that Empire.

The Hon. Mr. Cartwright, with Mr. Courtney, of the Audit Office, will sail on the 23d inst. by the Prussian for England, to negotiate the Pacific Railway loan.

It is rumored that the Senate intend to modify the tariff; also, that they may take ground against some of the provisions of the Pacific Railway Bill.

It is positively stated in Montreal that M. Dorion, Minister of Justice, will accept the Chief Justiceship of the Province of Quebec before the end of the present month.

There is a whisper around Ottawa that the Tory majority in the Senate will tinker the tariff and the Pacific Railway bill. Those unfortunate people are determined to commit suicide in spite of every warning.—*London Ads.*

Survey of Fraser River Route.

In the House of Commons on the 22d of May,

Mr. Dewdney moved a resolution declaring it expedient that further surveys be made for the Pacific Railway between Kamloops and Fort Hope on Fraser River. He said, the motion that I now propose to bring before this honorable House I have requested to stand on several occasions, for the reason that I wished the report of the Engineers of the Canadian Pacific Railway to be in the hands of members before I moved the resolution, when they would be better able to understand this important question, viz., the route and terminus of the Canadian Pacific in the west. I believe this is the first time the question of route or terminus on the Pacific has been brought before Parliament, except by one member from British Columbia who, on more than one occasion, did ask questions of the Ministers of the day, and endeavored to drive them into pledging themselves to a particular terminus before they knew whether it could be reached by any other means than by a balloon; and I should feel diffident in doing so now, when the reports of the Engineers are daily expected to be laid on the table, was I not aware that the session is drawing to a close; and so favorable an opportunity might not present itself again, I also feel sure that the knowledge I have of the country and the different routes surveyed, gained partly while engaged on the Canadian Pacific Railway Survey, but mostly during my long sojourn of something like sixteen years in the Province of British Columbia, and having spent almost two-thirds of that time in the mountains, will be the means of giving some slight weight to the remarks I have to make. The coast line of British Columbia commences at the 49° of north latitude, and runs north to Alaska in latitude 55°; the southern end of Vancouver Island is also in about 48° 20 min., and extends north some 300 miles. I purpose, for the present, to confine your attention to the coast line from the 49° parallel to an inlet called Bute Inlet, also the southern portion of Vancouver Island and the important harbors that exist in that portion of the Province. They are four in number, viz., Esquimalt, Burrard Inlet, Howe Sound and Bute Inlet. I shall now ask you, Mr. Speaker, to keep in your mind's eye the relative position of these four harbors while I take you to a point in the interior of our Province, called Kamloops, a small town that at no distant period, I believe, will become a large city, situated as it is in the heart of our agricultural and grazing lands, and from which several roads radiate to different sections of our Province. At this place many of the railway routes surveyed in 1872 and '73 connect, and it is from that point to the coast that the greatest difficulties have been met with. Between the 49° parallel and Bute Inlet no less than four lines have been run through the Cascade range of mountains, viz., Burrard Inlet and Kamloops, via Coquhalla river, Burrard Inlet and Kamloops, via Fraser and Thompson rivers—Howe Sound and Kamloops—and Bute Inlet, to a point some seventy-six miles above Kamloops, on the North Thompson river. The first route I know something of, having had the honor of taking charge of the party that ran the line through the Cascade range; this, I believe, (and I have the consent of the chief engineer for stating) was found to be next to impracticable—at all events extremely objectionable. The second, Burrard Inlet to Kamloops, via Fraser and Thompson rivers, was surveyed in 1872. The plans and records of it were, I believe, destroyed at the late disastrous fire, but should they exist, I feel sure that the survey was of such a character that even an approximate estimate could not be made of the cost of the work. The survey, however, established this fact, that a line could be obtained from Burrard Inlet to Kamloops with a grade not exceeding ten to fifteen feet per mile. This route I know intimately, having travelled over it a dozen times. I am aware that considerable engineering difficulties exist for about twenty miles in the canons of the Fraser, as well as on some points on the Thompson River, but when I tell you, Mr. Speaker, that some twelve years ago our young country was able to construct a waggon road 18 to 20 feet in width through this canon to Savana's Ferry, at a cost of $830,000, distance 133, an average of $6,315 per mile, I do not think with the present improved appliances for working in rock with giant powder, and nitro glycerine, coupled with increased engineering skill, we might be afraid to tackle it. So much for that route. The Howe Sound and Kamloops route I know pretty well, at any rate I am acquainted with the parts of it where the greatest difficulty exists. This, I believe, (as soon as you read the engineer's report) will be found to be very objectionable. I now come to the Bute Inlet route. I must ask hon. gentlemen to recollect that on this route there are grades of 115 feet per mile, while on the route I am advocating, viz: Fraser and Thompson River, the grade would not exceed fifteen feet per mile except, probably, when a slight increase of grade in a few exceptional places would considerably lessen the cost of construction. I must now state that in the district I have the honor of representing, as well as in that of New Westminster, there is a feeling that the country from Kamloops to Fort Hope on the Fraser River has not been sufficiently surveyed in detail to find out really if the difficulties of getting a route for a railway in that direction are as formidable as will be encountered on the route via Bute inlet or other more northerly ones. I would, therefore, respectfully request the Government to cause such surveys to be made of the section of country referred to during the coming summer as will thoroughly set the matter at rest. In asking the Government to have the above surveys made I do not in any way wish to convey the idea that it is with the object of offering obstruction as to the adoption of the line to the sea-board of British Columbia, but simply to be quite certain that before commencing the work of construction of the railway on the mainland of British Columbia the best possible line might be determined on, not only for the development of the Province of British Columbia, but also for ensuring over the railway the greatest possible amount of through trade from China and Japan, as well as that between the Pacific and the westerly portions of the Dominion. I believe I am correct in stating that a remarkably favorable line for the railway has already been obtained from Fort Garry to Kamloops, and it appears to me if a feasible route can be obtained connecting Kamloops with the Harbor of Burrard Inlet that such a line would have commercial advantages over any other that might reach the sea-board further to the north. A railway terminating at Burrard Inlet can without difficulty be connected by a short branch line over nearly a level country with Puget Sound and the railway system now built or in course of construction, from thence through Washington, Oregon and California and thus avail itself for its Western termini o. the two best points on the Pacific coast, Burrard Inlet in Canadian and Puget Sound in the American Territory. This most important connection cannot be partically effected if the terminating point of the Canadian Pacific should be to the north of Burrard inlet. A line of railway by the southern portion of British Columbia, will unquestionably pass through that portion of the Province where the greatest extent of agricultural country exists, viz: in the Yale and New Westminster districts. Large deposits of rich silver ore and coal have also been discovered and only await a railway to be developed. In conclusion I will say that should the result of the surveys I have now asked for show that a more favorable route exists for the Canadian Pacific further to the north, then I feel convinced that the people of the Yale and New Westminster districts will accept the verdict without a murmur, and I believe the inhabitants of the Dominion at large will feel better satisfied that every possible effort has been made by the Government to ensure the very best line for the nation's highway.

Hon. Mr. Mackenzie supposed the hon. member would be content with having brought this matter before Parliament, and withdraw his resolution. The Government were entirely uncommitted to any particular pass through the Cascade Range. Surveying parties were at work in British Columbia, and the Government would not decide upon any route until after their reports were submitted.

The resolution was then withdrawn.

Colonial Policy.

Lord Carnarvon has expressed the determination of the English Government not to abandon their possessions on the Gold Coast. It has been the fashion to decry those possessions and the "Times" has frequently doubted the wisdom of wasting valuable lives in that quarter of the world. We are glad to see that there is evidence that the wave of depreciation of outlying possessions has spent itself and that England seems to stagger less under the weight of empire.

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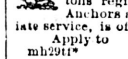


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Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, } Agent.
Victoria, B C., May 16 1874. } my17dw

Notice to Mariners.

No. 6 of 1874.

REVOLVING LIGHT, Cape Beale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Light-house has been erected by the Government of Canada on Cape Beale, at the South-East point of the entrance to Barclay Sound, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, Province of British Columbia.

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A Revolving White Light on the Catoptric principle elevated 164 feet above high water, will be exhibited on 1st July next. The light will show at intervals of 30 seconds, making a complete revolution in two minutes, and should be seen in clear weather a distance of 19 miles.

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All bearings are Magnetic. The Light is for the purpose of a coast light, and to indicate the entrance to Barclay Sound.

Mariners, however, should not attempt to enter the Sound at night without local knowledge or a Pilot.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy of Minister of Marine & Fisheries.

Department of Marine & Fisheries, }
Ottawa, 20th April, 1874. } my22 2m

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and under and in pursuance of the provisions of the fourth Section of the Act 36 Vic., chap. 55, entitled "An Act respecting Wreck and Salvage"—

His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council of Canada, has been pleased to constitute and establish the Province of British Columbia a District for all the purposes of the said Act, and the said District is hereby constituted and established accordingly.

His Excellency, under the authority aforesaid, has been further pleased to appoint James Cooper, Esquire, Agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Victoria, Receiver of Wrecks in and for the said District of British Columbia.

W. A. HIMSWORTH,
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